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Mr. Len S. Anthony, Esquire General Counsel Progress Energy Carolinas, Inc. Post Office Box 1551 Raleigh, North Carolina 27602-1551

IN RE: DOCKET NO. 2012-1-E – Carolina Power & Light Company d/b/a Progress Energy Carolinas, Inc. – Annual Review of Base Rates for Fuel Costs

Dear Mr. Anthony:

Enclosed herewith is the Notice of Hearing and Prefile Testimony Deadlines concerning the above-captioned Docket. In order to proceed with the processing of this matter, it will be necessary for you to accomplish the following:

- 1. Publish at your own expense, on or before **March 1, 2012**, the enclosed Notice in newspapers of general circulation in the affected areas, and provide the undersigned Proof of Publication on or before **March 23, 2012**.
- 2. Furnish at your own expense, on or before **March 1, 2012**, by U.S. Mail, or by electronic mail for those customers who have agreed to receive notices by electronic mail, the enclosed Notice to each affected customer and provide a certification on or before **March 23, 2012** that this notification has been furnished.

Failure to comply with the above on or before the dates indicated may result in the **DISMISSAL** of your pleading.

Please carefully review the Notice. If the Notice is not to your satisfaction or if you find any errors, please notify us before publishing.

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Sincerely,

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